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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 31, 2007, Applicant elects the species 4 (Figure 4) for prosecution.

The following claims readable on species 4 (Figure 4) are: 1-3; 5-11 and 13-22. The specification makes clear that restriction 60 shown in Figure 4 may be in line 40, valve 36 or line 42. See page 14, lines 20-24.

The Office Action states "Currently, no claim is generic." Applicant requests reconsideration for this statement in view of independent claims 1 and 19 and dependent claims 20 and 22 which are generic and cover all disclosed species. Accordingly, claims 4 and 12 must be considered together with the claims reading on species 4.

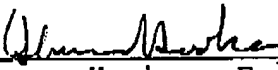
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